

## PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULED ON PROPOSAL TO MODIFY POTOMAC COMMUNITY CENTER ROLLER RINK



Montgomery County Recreation is seeking public input on a suggestion to modify the existing Potomac Community Center roller rink in order to provide a smooth, soft surface, accessible sports area. The early concept is that a renovated composite/textile surface will expand opportunities for all adaptive sports, including individuals with disabilities to participate in activities such as soccer, field hockey and lacrosse. The surface would also accommodate individuals that use assistive devices such as wheelchairs and walkers. The idea is under consideration after being suggested by the community advisory committee.

The public is invited to participate in the discussion scheduled for November 15 at 7 p.m. in the Social Hall at the Potomac Community Center, 11315 Falls Road.

The meeting will kick off with a short narrative presentation of the project background and concept, and will be followed with an open question/discussion session. Residents and interested groups that actively support services for individuals with disabilities are encouraged to participate in the discussions.

The Recreation Department is seeking input from the community before any formal planning or development preparations take place. The Department will use the public input to continue a preliminary review and evaluation of the community proposal.

Sign language interpreter services will be provided upon request. To best serve your needs, please request sign language interpretation or other accommodations as early as possible. If you need interpreting or other services in order to participate in this activity, please e-mail: Rec.Mainstream@montgomerycountymd.gov, call 240-777-6870 (voice) or 240-777-6974 (TTY). Taking these steps will help us have sufficient time to meet your needs.

For additional information about the meeting, contact Jeffrey A. Bourne at 240-777-6800.